

2015 Leaf/Yard Waste Recycling Schedule

Determine when the City vacuum trucks will be in your area to collect leaves, by finding your location below and/or adjacent map:

Monday through Friday

AREAS 1 & 4 October 26 – November 20

Market Street to Miller Road; Brandywine Creek to Rockwood Road

AREAS 8 & 9 November 2 – November 13

Prices Run, Riverside, East Side and South Wilmington

AREAS 2, 3 & 5 November 16 – December 4

South Park Drive to Hedgeville; Union Street to City Line

AREAS 6 & 7 November 23 – December 11

Washington Street to Union Street and Lancaster Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue; Midtown Brandywine and Browntown

A Seven-Week Program

This leaf and yard waste recycling schedule runs for seven weeks, from Monday, October 26, 2015 through Friday, December 11, 2015. Please note shortened week during the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Questions? Please contact the Public Works Customer Service Center at (302) 576-3878.

Thank you!

If your leaves are still falling later than your scheduled leaf pickup date, bag and place them at the curb on your regularly scheduled recycling collection day. Please use **PAPER BAGS** so City yard waste collection crews can easily identify your leaves for recycling.



City of Wilmington
Dennis P. Williams, Mayor

Leaf Removal Fall Schedule 2015

The City of Wilmington's Fall Leaf Removal Schedule will take place October 26 through December 11, 2015. The daily times of collection during this period will be 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Use the schedule attached to determine when City vacuum trucks will be in your community to collect leaves. Follow instructions below for leaf and yard waste removal.

To prepare for leaf or yard waste removal...

When the City vacuum trucks are in your community to collect leaves:

- All leaves should be swept/raked/placed in the street, next to the curb.
- City sweeper/vacuum trucks will collect the leaves from the street.

When the City vacuum trucks are **not** in your community to collect leaves:

- All leaves should be bagged and placed at the curb and call the Public Works Call Center at (302) 576-3878. The automated message will advise on how to schedule your yard waste pickup the day of the week in your area.
- Please use PAPER BAGS so City yard waste collection crews can easily identify your leaves for recycling.

If you live in the City, but outside one of the scheduled pick-up areas...

- Bag your yard waste, place it at the curb and contact the Call Center at (302) 576-3878 to request a yard waste pickup.
- Areas East of I-95 – Monday and Thursday
- Areas West of I-95 – Tuesday and Friday

Community Clean-Ups

In order to coordinate your fall community or neighborhood clean-up events for leaves please review the attached schedule to determine when our workers will be in your neighborhood. We will continue to partner and coordinate with neighborhood groups to provide additional support for leaf pick. For large leaf pickup events please contact our Call Center at 576 3878 and they will have one of our Street Cleaning Supervisors contact the civic group leader to work out additional details. After December 11, 2015, any requests for additional leaf pickup will need to be done by contacting our Call Center at 576-3878 to coordinate a date and time for our Street Cleaning Teams to come to those areas.

Private Trash Collection

City Code prevents the City of Wilmington from providing yard waste removal service to private trash/yard waste contractors. Residents using those services need to check to ensure waste collected from their residence is disposed of properly.

City Trees

If your community is interested in more information about City trees, the Urban Forestry Program, or the Wilmington Tree Commission, please contact Herb White, Urban Forest Administrator, in the Department of Public Works at (302) 576-3060.

